

It's great to be an optimist
And keep the mind in style,
But the guy who runs a hundred
yards
Can't win by a mile.

Mountaineers Prepare for Last Trip of Season

I have read most every phrase
Of golf from start to course
The more I read the less I play
And go from bad to worse

SPEARS USES MANY PLAYERS AS MOUNTAINEERS EAT UP BEARCATS

Cincinnati Offers Fight During First Period of Game Saturday, But West Virginia Wears Them Down With Host of Fresh Substitutions.

By LARRY
Our brave and rugged Mountaineers arrived back from Cincinnati yesterday morning, where on Saturday they defeated a crippled but fighting eleven representing the University of Cincinnati by a score of 34 to 0 in a game that was fairly interesting despite the one-sided score. The boys will just have about time enough to get their best shirts back from the laundry and hold a few practice sessions before hitting the road again. They will start on their last trip of the season Thursday evening at 5 o'clock going to Indianapolis via Pittsburg. Arriving in Indianapolis early Friday morning they will remain there until late in the afternoon, when they will go to Bloomington where the next afternoon they will play the University of Indiana.

The Cincinnati game served to give a large number of players on Coach Spears' squad a chance to exercise a little. He took thirty players with him to the "Queen City," and twenty-six were used during the battle. The only players who did not get into the line-up were Simon, Nardack, Harlick and Barreille. When the game started the backfield was composed of Beckberg, Mahrt, Barnum and Devaughn. Mahrt alone remained in the game until the finish, and the only reason that he played was, no doubt, the fact that he will not be able to play in any more games until the one with Ohio University on November 25. All fresh members of the squad are barred from competition in the Indiana and Virginia games in accordance with the contract for these games. Substitutions in the game Saturday were made so fast in the closing period that it took Adam hustling to catch them all.

Despite the fact that their star punter and passer, Linna, was out of the game, those who have followed the development of the Cincinnati team say that it was much better than when it faced Pitt earlier in the season and lost by a count of 27 to 0.

Phil Hill was responsible for the first two touchdowns made by the Mountaineers. At the start of the second quarter he intercepted a pass on the Cincinnati 40 yard line from which point a march to the goal line was started. Barnum's ability to follow the ball kept him over for the first score. Beckberg fumbled going through the line. The ball banged up against the goal posts and back into the playing field, where Barnum snatched it up and went a few yards for the touchdown. A little later in the period, Hill again intercepted a pass on his own 40 yard line and ran through the entire Cincinnati team for a touchdown. End runs by Mahrt were responsible for the other three touchdowns. Twice he cleared the end for eight yards and a touchdown, and the other time he ran thirty-five yards. West Virginia was guilty of some bad kicking during the afternoon, but as Cincinnati never really threatened to score it cut no figure in the ultimate result.

Boyd Chambers, athletic director for Cincinnati, stated after the game that West Virginia is the best looking team that he had seen this season and this in the face of the fact that a number of the Mountaineer regulars were not in the battle.

Coach Spears was right well satisfied with the way things turned out in Cincinnati. The team ran up a big score and the scouts at the game did not get to see any scout that Spears might want to use later. He didn't have to uncover anything to win therefore he didn't give anything special out for the benefit of the scout crowd on hand for the contest, although it was said to be the best crowd of the season. There is a lot of football educational work to be done in Cincinnati. Boxing, horse racing and baseball draw well there, but the football fans seem to be few and far between. But the crowds are much larger now than three years ago, and if Cincinnati can get a winning team in a year or two, football will get a foothold in the Ohio town.

In R. Glasgow, Hobbs and Palmer, Cincinnati has three right fair backfield men, and they showed some real stuff during the game. Of course, late in the contest the home folk were pretty well tired and battered up. McLaren had few substitutes available while West Virginia was sending in fresh players all the time. Against such a combination there was no chance but the Cincinnati lads kept fighting away just the same as if the game had been anybody's until the final whistle.

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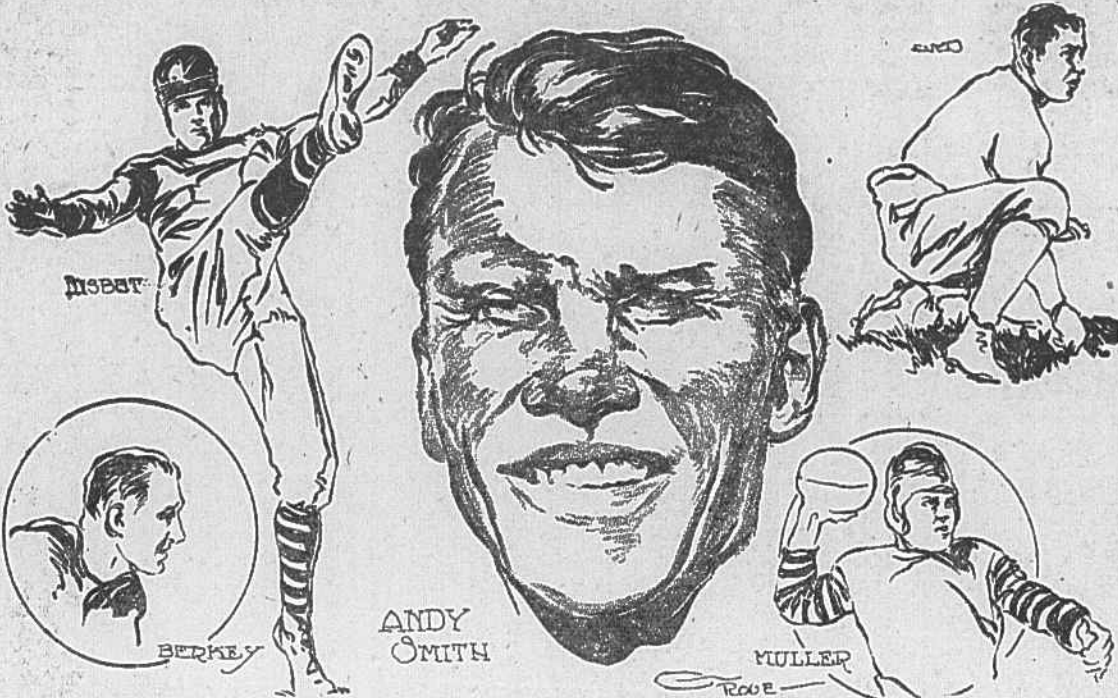
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COACH SMITH PLEASED WITH MATERIAL



By BILLY EVANS.
What about California? Football enthusiasts in the east are already asking that question. California's sudden rise to fame in the football world has caused Coach Andy Smith's eleven to be a much-talked-about aggregation. Last year California was known as the "Wonder Team." At present that title will hardly apply, as a number of stars have been lost through graduation, and the ability of their successors is still uncertain.

Coach Optimistic.
Coach Andy Smith, never inclined to be boastful, says California will again demonstrate its superiority by winning another western championship. Stanford is an uncertain factor. The eleven will largely be made up of green material. A trio of last year stars remain: Wilcox, Ludeke and Captain De Groot. California will again present a wonderful back field. The line is rather uncertain. It may develop into one of the best California has ever had. Several of the forwards have great promise but have yet to prove their worth under fire.

"Brick" Muller Back.
The famous "Brick" Muller is still on the job. Nisbet, whose remarkable punting featured the work of California last season, is back. In addition Coach Smith has

PUNTS AND PASSES

By LARRY.

Still Going On.
SURPRISE parties continued to feature the gridiron season last Saturday as those who have looked over the scores for this day are fully aware, and, as on the previous week, the University of Pennsylvania headed the field, along with Syracuse. However, it was the defeat of Penn and not an unexpected victory that took the bacon this trip. Alabama came up from the Southland and outplayed the Quakers practically all through the game, winning by a score of 9 to 7 and handing Penn her first defeat of the season on the new stadium lot. Following the victory of Penn over the Navy, all the dope was that Penn would win the contest without any trouble, but the test was wrong again. It strikes me that the Penn-Alabama game may well be put on the same basis as the West Virginia-Washington and Lee contest, in which West Virginia was fortunate to get away with a tie score. In that game West Virginia was suffering from the reaction from the great Pitt victory and in the game on Saturday, Pennsylvania was no doubt off form after the great victory over the Navy the previous week. Pennsylvania certainly has a better team than Alabama, but they didn't on Saturday. I think that the score of the Pitt-Penn game next Saturday will indicate that Penn simply suffered an off day against Alabama. Pitt should win, but the battle will likely be close and hard fought all the way.

A Great Victory.
The defeat of Lafayette by Wash-Jeff on Saturday was a great surprise to many, although it was not to the writer. I told Bill Kline down at the Watson Building on Friday afternoon that I thought Wash-Jeff had an equal chance with Sutherland's men. Bill thought I was trying to get into the joke book, but I was in earnest about the matter. The biggest thing about the victory of the Presidents is the manner in which they came back after being apparently whipped in a fizzle in the first two periods. It shows a lot of spirit and fight, and shows that the Red

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Special Service on Indiana Game

The West Virginian furnished the fans of the city excellent service on the Cincinnati-West Virginia game at Cincinnati last Saturday. A play by play account of the game was received just as fast as the plays were made in the Ohio city. Next Saturday West Virginia will be playing her first game in years with a Western Conference team, when Indiana is played at Bloomington. The West Virginian will again have a play by play service for the local fans, and everyone is invited to come to the newspaper office and get the benefit of the play by play story. An additional feature of the service on Saturday is the fact that the Associated Press wire, which generally closes at 4 p. m., will be kept open until 6 o'clock in order to get the final football scores from all sections of the country. This will give The West Virginian the most complete football service possible.

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ICEMEN FAVORED NOW TO CAPTURE EAST SIDE GAME

Reversal of Form Saturday Again Shifts Dope on Big Battle.

The advance dope on the Fairmont High School-East Side High School game has shifted again. It now favors the icemen in the great battle to be staged at South Side Park on Saturday afternoon for the city championship. A little over a week ago, the East Siders were considered to have the edge. They were coming fast and the icemen were playing ragged ball, while the school spirit was at a low point. But the last week seems to have worked wonders for Frank Lee's men. A series of "thrust" meetings and prayer meetings have put new life in the bunch. They went out to South Side Park Saturday afternoon and displayed some real football, outplaying the Grafton High School team, a good organization, in all departments of the game and won by a count of 7 to 0. If Lee can keep his men on edge this week, he should have the advantage over Gamage in the big game, although East Side still has her wonderful fight or spirit and will have a great crowd of loyal rooters on hand to help her on the field.

East Side Cripped
The Charleston game on Saturday brought several injuries to the East Side squad which may prove costly on Saturday, unless the injured men get back in shape for the big game. East Side played Charleston to a standstill during the first half Saturday. In the second half Gamage sent in a great number of substitutes and Charleston ran wild to the tune of 33 to 0. During the first two periods three of the East Side men were badly bumped. Doan, who was playing center, got a bad bump; Henzay, a backfield man, suffered a badly sprained ankle, while Captain Stealey, had an old injury to his hip smashed. All these men are in rather poor condition today, according to reports from the East Side, and it will be a miracle if they are able to be in top form for the championship contest. It is unfortunate for the East Side that they had to face Charleston so soon before the Fairmont game, but there is no use to worry about it now as the game has been played and the result must stand.

Both Lee and Gamage will start this afternoon to prepare for the one big battle of the season, and it is likely that but one or two scrimmages sessions will be held during the week. Both coaches will likely handle their men with care to guard against injuries, and will spend the week in working out some special plays for the championship tilt. The players will also have some long sessions on fundamentals.

The rooters will have their workout this week also. Several "thrust" sessions will be held on both sides of the river, and the students will be just as highly picked for the contest Saturday

as the players themselves. It will be worth going miles to see the game between the two rival elevens. Tickets for the game went on sale today and more than 7,000 fans will likely witness the contest, exclusive of Tom Connell.

COAL CONFISCATED TO SUPPLY SCHOOLS

SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 6.—Ten school buildings in the borough of Olyphant, closed for two weeks because of coal shortage, although in the heart of the anthracite region, were able to open their doors to their 2,500 pupils today for a throng of children led by Burgess P. Dempsey yesterday, marched on the Delaware & Hudson Railroad and confiscated 120 tons of coal from its cars. The borough's nine churches also were provided with fuel as a result of the raid which followed refusal of coal companies to sell their product in the borough.

There is talk of other raids to confiscate fuel for use in stores, business places and private homes if the coal company's continue to refuse to sell. The raiders declared that a careful record had been kept of the coal taken and that every pound would be paid for when a bill was presented.

LOUISIANA MEETS RUTGERS TOMORROW

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The football squad of Louisiana State University was expected to reach New York today for the contest tomorrow with Rutgers at the Polo Grounds.

As a result of injuries to several regulars in recent games, Coach Foster Sanford of the New Brunswick, N. J., eleven, has been forced to alter his line-up for the clash with the southerners, who will make their first appearance in the north.

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